

2019 DRAFTING REQUEST

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 Date: **2/11/2019** May Contact:

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Pre Topic:

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Topic:

W-2 Internet assistance program

Instructions:

See attached

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Shea, Elisabeth

From: Rice, Olivia A - DOA
Sent: Monday, February 11, 2019 4:33 PM
To: Shea, Elisabeth
Subject: RE: Statutory Language Drafting Request - 2019-21

Hello Lis,

The intent is to cover the cost of subscription to an internet service. Such as TDS, Litewire, AT&T, ect.

Thank You,



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Subject: RE: Statutory Language Drafting Request - 2019-21

Hi Olivia,

Can you specify what type of Internet subscriptions are intended to be covered?

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Subject: FW: Statutory Language Drafting Request - 2019-21

From: Rice, Olivia A - DOA <OliviaA.Rice@wisconsin.gov>
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Cc: Kraus, Jennifer - DOA <Jennifer.Kraus@wisconsin.gov>; Rice, Olivia A - DOA <OliviaA.Rice@wisconsin.gov>
Subject: Statutory Language Drafting Request - 2019-21

Biennial Budget: 2019-21

Topic: Create a W-2 Internet Assistance program

Tracking Code: BB0331

SBO Team: GGCF

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Agency Acronym: 437

Agency Number: 437

Priority: High

Intent:

Create an Internet Assistance Program within Wisconsin Works to provide cash grants to subsidize the cost of internet subscriptions in the amount of \$57 per month or the actual cost of the subscriptions, whichever is lower.

Attachments: False

Please send completed drafts to SBOStatlanguage@spmail.enterprise.wistate.us



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HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

WISCONSIN WORKS

This bill allows a person who meets the eligibility requirements for Wisconsin Works (W-2) to apply for and receive from DCF a monthly amount sufficient to pay the cost of an Internet service provider subscription or \$57, whichever is lower.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

2 **SECTION 1.** 49.148 (2) of the statutes is created to read:

3 49.148 (2) INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER SUBSCRIPTIONS. A person who meets the
4 eligibility requirements under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) may apply for and receive from
5 the department a monthly amount sufficient to pay the cost of an Internet service
6 provider subscription or \$57, whichever is lower.

****NOTE: Do you want to add any conditions, such as allowing DCF to require proof of a service contract?

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Shea, Elisabeth

From: Rice, Olivia A - DOA
Sent: Monday, February 18, 2019 10:12 AM
To: Shea, Elisabeth
Subject: LRB Draft Number 19-1939_P1

Hi Lis,

An adjustment to the stat language for the internet assistance program, as we now have determined that the payments will be made to the internet provider versus the W-2 participant. Language along the lines of A person who meet the eligibility requirements under s. 49.145 (2) and (3) may apply, by providing documentation to a W-2 agency, for a monthly amount sufficient to pay the cost of an Internet service provider subscription or \$57, whichever is lower. The department shall coordinate with the W-2 agencies and make a payment on behalf of the person to the appropriate Internet service provider. The department may promulgate rules to administer this program without the finding of an emergency.

Thanks,



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Subject: LRB Draft Number 19-1939_P1

We have received an LRB draft for DOA Tracking Code BB0331

LRB Topic: W-2 Internet assistance program

LRB Draft Number: 19-1939_P1

Drafter: EHS

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The document can be found in the Stat Language site on SharePoint:
https://doa.sbo.wisconsin.gov/statutes/Shared%20Documents/19-1939_P1.pdf

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Thanks,

Chris



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Internet service provider subscriptions

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2 An application submitted under this subsection shall include documentation of
3 the Internet service provider and the monthly cost of the subscription. If the
4 department determines that an applicant is eligible, the department shall
5 coordinate with a Wisconsin Works agency to make payments on behalf of the person
6 to the appropriate Internet service provider. The department may promulgate rules
7 to administer this subsection.

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9 **SECTION 9106. Nonstatutory provisions; Children and Families.**

10 (1) WISCONSIN WORKS; INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER SUBSCRIPTIONS. Using the
11 procedure under ^{2.5.} section 227.24 of the statutes, the department of children and
12 families may promulgate the rules authorized under ^{es} section 49.148 (2) of the statutes
13 as emergency rules. Notwithstanding ^{2.5.} section 227.24 (1) (a), (2) (b), and (3) of the
14 statutes, the department of children and families is not required to provide evidence
15 that promulgating a rule under this subsection as an emergency rule is necessary for
16 the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or welfare and is not required to
17 provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under this subsection.



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13 rule is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, or welfare
14 and is not required to provide a finding of emergency for a rule promulgated under
15 this subsection.

16 (END)